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RE: 6(a)(2) Incidents Accumulated for the Month of January 2013

Dear Sir/Madam:

Reportable incidents accumulated for the month of January 2013 for Bayer CropScience and Bayer Environmental Science are attached.

The information with this letter is being submitted to the EPA pursuant to the Agency's interpretation of requirements imposed on registrants by Section 6(a)(2) of FIFRA. This information does not necessarily constitute additional factual information regarding unreasonable adverse effects within the meaning of 6(a)(2). It is being submitted to enable the Agency to make its own assessment of the information.

If you have questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at any time.

Sincerely,

Gerret Van Duyn Compliance Manager

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State Regulatory and Documentation Services

919-549-2914

CC: AE Coordinator, CA Department of Pesticide Regulation

Jeanine Broughel, NY Department of Environmental Conservation

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Voluntary Industry Reporting Form for 6(a)(2) Adverse Effects Incident Information

Provide all known, required information. If required data field information is unknown, designate as such in appropriate area Page 1 of 3

| Row 1 Administrative | Reporter Name Address | | Submission date. 2/25/2013 | date. | | ferent than reporter) | Internal ID 1107302 |
|------------------------------|---|--|---|---|----------|--|------------------------|
| Data | | | | Address | | | |
| | | | Phone # | | | | |
| | Incident Status: New Location and Riverside, CA USA 12/27/2012 | | date of incident | | | Was incident part of larger study? No | |
| Row 2 Pesticide(s) | EPA Registration # (Product 1) 72155-80 | | EPA Registration # (Product 2) | | | EPA Registration # (Product 3) | |
| Involved | A.I. (s) Beta-Cyfluthrin, sodium o- phenylphenate | | A.I. (s) | | A.I. (s) | | |
| | Product 1 name Home Pest plus Germ Killer Indoor & Outdoor Killer RTU (1 Gal) | | Product 2 Name | | | Product 3 Name | |
| | Exposed to concentrate prior to dilution? <i>No</i> | | Exposed to concentrate prior to dilution? | | | Exposed to concentrate prior to dilution? | |
| | Formulation | | Formulation | | I a. | Formulation | |
| Row 3 Incident Circumstances | Evidence label directions were not followed? No Intentional misuse? No Applicator certified? UNK | yard, school, nursery/greet commercial t woods, agric | nhouse, surface v urf, building/offi ultural (specify c lity, highway)). | include mixing/loading, reentry, applicater, transportation, repair/ maintenance of application equipment, manufacturing. | | ntry, application, tenance of sufacturing/ | |
| | How exposed: (examples include direct contact with treated surface, ingestion, spill, drift, runoff) See Incident Description Notes | | | | <u> </u> | | 0000 |
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Brief description of incident circumstances.

Dennis, Sam Jan 19 2013 6:30PM

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Caller states that on 12/27/2012 the product fell off a shelf and the product spilled on her head and face. Caller reports that she immediately took a shower after this exposure and decontaminated herself. Caller denies any ocular exposure, but is unsure if she potentially ingested the product.

One to Two days later (28th/29th) the caller began to have 'severe sinus symptoms', which have continued to present. The callers symptoms include severe congestion, headache, and periods of taste alteration. On 01/14/2013 the caller went to the doctor and was diagnosed with a sinus infection. The caller was given an antibiotic, which she does not know the name of. The caller quit smoking 3 weeks ago.

Caller wants to know if her symptoms and illness could be related to her exposure to the product?

Explained to the caller that we would not expect her symptoms or illness to be caused by an exposure to this product. Told the caller to call back with any other information.



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| Demographic information: Age: 53 Year(s) Sex: Female Occupation (if relevant) | Exposure route: Dermal Ingestion/oral | Was adverse effect result of suicide/homicide or attempted suicide/homicide? | Was protective cloworn (specify)? None Reported | othing |
|--|--|--|--|-------------|
| NA If female, pregnant? NO | Was exposure occupational? Not indicated If yes, days lost due to illness: NA | No Time between exposure and onset of symptoms: I month or less | • | |
| Type of medical care sought: (examples include none, clinic, hospital emergency department, private physician, PCC, hospital inpatient). Private MD/DVM-treated & released Exposure data: NA Amount of pesticide: NA Exposure duration: Acute < 8hrs Patient weight: Unknown | List signs/symptoms/adverse effe Gastrointestinal-Taste alteration Neurological-Headache Respiratory-Congestion | | If lab tests were polist test names and available, submit in None Reported | results (If |
| | any explanatory or qualifying infor | mation surrounding the incident. (a | add additional pages | if |
| nis box can be used to provide a ecessary) | any expianatory or quantying info | mation surrounding the incident. (8 | auu auditionai pages | 11 |
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